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A. The petition filed _____ under 37 CFR 1.312(b) is granted.
The paper has been forwarded to the examiner for consideration on the merits.

B. The amendment filed 9 - 12 - 97 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

1. entered
2. entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention (0.3311).
3. disapproved. A report appears below.
4. entered in part. A report appears below.

Report: Prosecution is closed. There is no showing of good and sufficient reasons why the amendment is necessary and was not earlier presented. The claims are not of the same scope; plus the declaration has to be consider.

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